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This paper is submitted in response to the Notification to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated May 25, 2006 (the "Notification"), for which the date for response is July 25, 2006.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to this document, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski Account L.L.P. No.: 50-1212/SONN:076US.

A Response to the Notification begins on page 2 of this paper.

RESPONSE

In response to the Notification to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated May 25, 2006 (a copy of which is enclosed), Applicants submit herewith a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the Sequence Listing, together with a Statement As Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g) And Statement As Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(d). No new matter is included with this submission.

Should the Examiner have any questions or comments regarding this matter, a telephone call to the undersigned Applicants' representative is earngstly solicited.

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